

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 432  
By Crutchfield

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Sarah Kietzman of  
Soddy Daisy High School on winning the 1997  
Young Columbus Essay Contest.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Kietzman of Hixson is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as the 1997 winner of the Young Columbus Essay Contest; and

WHEREAS, her award-winning topic, "Should Family Values Be Included in a Presidential Campaign?" earned her a ten-day, all-expense-paid trip to Ireland; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Sarah Kietzman has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Kietzman has earned an exceptional 4.0 grade point average at Soddy Daisy High School; and

WHEREAS, a true scholar, Ms. Kietzman has received numerous academic awards, including the Kiwanis Citizenship Award, and the DAR Award; and

WHEREAS, during her laudable high school career, Sarah Kietzman has earned inclusion on the Star Roll and the Honor Roll; and

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WHEREAS, Sarah Kietzman is a distinguished member of the school's newspaper staff and teaches a kindergarten Sunday school class; and

WHEREAS, Sarah's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Kietzman, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Kietzman's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, after graduation, Sarah plans to attend the University of Tennessee to study anthropology, history and sociology; and

WHEREAS, Sarah Kietzman's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Sarah Kietzman, the 1997 Young Columbus Essay Contest winner, on her impressive achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.